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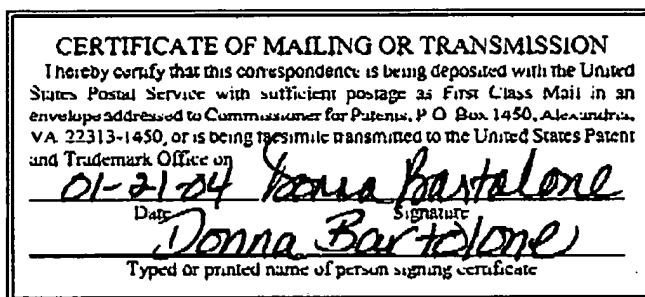
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PATENT APPLICATION
DOCKET NO. 2790.1001-001
Expedited Procedure under 37 C.F.R. 1.116
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: John S. Petersen
Application No.: 09/843,622 Group: 1756
Filed: April 26, 2001 Examiner: Sagar, Kripa
Confirmation No.: 7679
For: IMPROVED METHOD FOR PHASE SHIFT MASK DESIGN,
FABRICATION AND USE



Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final for filing in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- [] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed

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* not fewer than 20
** not fewer than 3

SMALL ENTITY		
	RATE	ADDIT FEE
X	\$9	\$
X	\$43	\$
+	\$145	\$

TOTAL = \$ 0

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
	RATE	ADDIT FEE
X	\$18	\$ 0
X	\$86	\$ 172
+	\$290	\$

TOTAL = \$ 172

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 29, 2003 in the above-identified application.

An extension of time for filing a Notice of Appeal from the Final Office Action dated August 29, 2003, is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this amendment. A Notice of Appeal will be due on January 29, 2003.

Please amend the application as follows: